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### INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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In compliance with the duty imposed by 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 et. seq., the enclosed materials are brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the above-identified patent application. Applicants respectfully request that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on the attached Form 1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Pursuant to the provisions of MPEP 609, Applicants request that a copy of the 1449 form, initialed as being considered by the Examiner, be returned to the Applicants with the next official communication.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b), it is believed that no fee or statement is required with the Information Disclosure Statement.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.98(a)(2), Applicant believes that copies of cited U.S. Patents and Published Applications, and Non-Published Applications identifiable by USPTO Serial Number, are no longer required to be provided to the Office. Notification of this change to this effect was provided in the United States Patent and Trademark Office OG Notices dated October 12, 2004 and October 19, 2004. Thus, Applicant has not included copies of any US Patents or US Patent Applications identifiable by serial number that may be cited with this submission. Should the Office require copies to be provided, Applicant respectfully requests that notice of such requirement be directed to Applicant's below-signed representative. Applicant acknowledges the requirement to submit copies of foreign patent documents and non-patent literature in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98(a)(2).

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The Examiner is invited to contact the Applicants' Representative at the below-listed telephone number if there are any questions regarding this communication.

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# **COMMUNICATION CONCERNING RELATED APPLICATION(S)**

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Applicants would like to bring to the Examiner's attention the following related application(s) in the above-identified patent application:

Serial/Patent No. 09/441,386	Filing Date/Issue Date November 16, 1999	Attorney Docket 2043.160US1	<u>Title</u> NETWORK-BASED SALES SYSTEM
09/441,616	November 16, 1999	2043.161US1	ITEM CATEGORIZATION SYSTEM FOR NETWORK-BASED SALES
09/441,617	November 16, 1999	2043.163US1	NETWORK-BASED SALES SYSTEM WITH BULK UPLOAD INTERFACE
09/441,385	November 16, 1999	2043.164US1	PUBLISHING SYSTEM FOR NETWORK-BASED SALES
09/686,073	October 11, 2000	2043.165US1	SALES SYSTEM WITH SALES ACTIVITY FEEDBACK
09/685,449	October 11, 2000	2043.166US1	SALES SYSTEM WITH BUYER PRICE SELECTION
10/201,586	July 22, 2002	2043.167US1	AUTOMATED LISTING SYSTEM
11/027,735	December 30, 2004	2043.162US2	NETWORK-BASED SALES SYSTEM WITH CUSTOMIZABLE AND CATEGORIZATION USER INTERFACE
11/352,173	February 10, 2006	2043.166US2	SALES SYSTEM WITH BUYER PRICE SELECTION
11/648,307	December 29, 2006	2043.165US2	SALES SYSTEM WITH SALES ACTIVITY FEEDBACK

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Continuations and divisionals may be later filed on the cases listed above, or cited to the Examiner in any previous Communication Concerning Related Applications. Applicants request that the Examiner review all continuations and divisionals of the above-listed or previously-cited patent applications before allowing the claims of the present patent application.

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